Statement-II

Details of Industrial Units Set up and Investment made in the Special Category States

State	Number of Units set up	Investment (Rs.Crore)
Jammu & Kashmir (upto 03/2007)	5952	1364
Himachal Pradesh (upto 12/2007)	3900	3288
Uttarakhand (upto 09/2007)	12403	7119

Management structure of MPEDA

473. DR. M.A.M. RAMASWAMY: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the present management structure of Marine Products Export Development Authority (MPEDA);

(b) the tenure of Chairman and other officers on deputation in MPEDA;

(c) whether the Chairman and other officers on deputation in MPEDA and also officers on deputation who are responsible for policy framing have experience in marine products or marine industry related subjects;

(d) if so, the policy guidelines framed for bringing officers on deputation in MPEDA; and

(e) the steps proposed to be taken to infuse fresh talent in MPEDA to match the requirement of the marine industry and to face the stiff competition in marine export field?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH): (a) The management structure of the Marine Products Export Development Authority (MPEDA) has been laid out in Section 4(1) to (3) of the MPEDA Act read with MPEDA Rules 3,4,10,11 and 12 and is as hereinunder:-

(i) Chairman appointed by the Central Government,

(ii) Director of MPEDA,

(iii) Three Members of the Parliament (Two Members from Lok Sabha and one Member from Rajya Sabha),

(iv) Five members representing Central Ministries dealing with agriculture, finance, foreign trade, industry and shipping & transport,

(v) Twenty members appointed by Government of India representing States/UTs having sea coast, interest of owners of fishing vessels, processing plant, etc., interest of people employed in

marine products industry, interest of persons employed in research institutions, interest of dealers and such other persons who in the opinion of the Central Government, ought to be represented on the Authority.

(b) The Chairman, an IAS officer, is posted for a tenure of five years, Director (Marketing) has been posted for a period of four years, the Deputy Director (Craft & Gear), Accounts Officer and Assistant Director (Quality Control) have been taken on deputation on yearly extendable basis.

(c) Yes sir.

(d) The Chairman, MPEDA and Director (Marketing), MPEDA are selected by the Government of India, the remaining deputationists are selected by MPEDA from among the eligible and well qualified candidates as per procedure and recruitment rules.

(e) MPEDA recruits fifty percent officers at the level of Assistant Director (Export Promotion) and Assistant Director (Aquaculture), seventy five percent at the level of Junior Technical Officers (Quality Control) and cent percent at the level of Field Supervisor through open advertisement. For each of these categories, suitable Recruitment Rules has been adopted and reviewed at regular intervals to infuse fresh talents into the organization.

SEZs cleared in Andhra Pradesh

474. SHRIMATI T. RATNA BAI: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has cleared more Special Economic Zones recently;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise especially in Andhra Pradesh;

(c) whether Government is giving the compensation as demanded by the actual landlords during the last four years;

(d) if so, the details of payment made during the last four years for each SEZ in Andhra Pradesh so far; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH): (a) and (b) A list of formally approved and notified SEZs including those in the State of Andhra Pradesh is given in the Statement (*see* below).

(c) to (e) Land/Land usage is a state subject. Land for SEZs is procured as per the policy and procedures of the respective State Governments, State Governments have been advised that in case of land acquisition for Special Economic Zones, first priority should be for acquisition of waste and barren land and if necessary single crop agricultural land could be acquired for the SEZs. If perforce a portion of double cropped agricultural land has to be acquired to meet the minimum area requirements, especially for multi-product Special Economic Zones, the same should not exceed 10% of the total land required for the SEZ. The Board of Approval only considers those proposals, which have been duly recommended by the State Government. Further, pursuant to the decision of